

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A solid or semi-solid pharmaceutical or cosmetic formulation comprising an effective amount of active pharmaceutical or cosmetic ~~ingredient~~ compound and an auxiliary amount of hydrophobic highly disperse densified silicon dioxide, having a tamped density of 90 to 400 g/l, determined in accordance with DIN 55943, wherein the silicon dioxide contains a maximum of 3.0 wt.% of water-wettable contents.
2. (Currently amended) The formulation according to claim 1, wherein the hydrophobic highly disperse densified silicon dioxide has a BET surface area between 50 and 400 m²/g.
3. (Currently amended) The formulation according to claim 1, wherein the amount of hydrophobic highly disperse densified silicon dioxide is from 0.01 to 30 wt.%.
4. (Canceled)
5. (Canceled)